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In re Application of :

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Application No. 10/043,010 Filed: January 11, 2002

Attorney Docket No. A0119US

: Corrected Decision

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.181 filed August 17, 2004, to withdraw the holding of abandonment.

This application became abandoned for failure to properly and timely reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed February 12, 2002, which set a two-month extendable period to respond. This application became abandoned on April 13, 2002. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on January 14, 2004.

On January 20, 2004, petitioner submitted a petition under 37 CFR 1.181 and 37 CFR 1.137(b), which was dismissed by the decision of June 17, 2004. Upon further review, petitioner is correct in stating that he filed a timely and proper response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, as evidenced by his date-stamped postcard receipt.

Accordingly, the decision of June 17, 2004, is hereby vacated and the present petition is <u>granted</u>. The application will be returned to pending status.

Petitioner's Deposit Account No. 05-1068 will be credited \$1,330.00, the fee for the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), which was previously charged in error. Petitioner's Deposit Account No. 05-1068 will be charged the \$110.00 fee for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts.

The application file is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination.

Any inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-5589.

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